

FRANKSTON MUNICIPAL COURT  
JUDGE GARY THOMAS  
P.O. BOX 186  
FRANKSTON, TX 75763

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OFFICE HOURS  
M-F 8a-11:45a 1p-3:45p  
S-S CLOSED

**DO NOT SEND CASH OR PERSONAL CHECK by mail**

**READ CAREFULLY. CHECK EACH CHARGE AND APPEARANCE DATE**

Schedule Of Fines SUBJECT TO CHANGE At Courts Discretion

1. FAILURE TO APPEAR(After appearance date on citation).....	\$346.00
2. SPEEDING 1-5 MPH OVER LIMIT.....	161.00
6-10 MPH OVER LIMIT.....	191.00
11-15 MPH OVER LIMIT.....	196.00
16-20 MPH OVER LIMIT.....	211.00
21-24 MPH OVER LIMIT.....	261.00
25-OVER MPH OVER LIMIT.....	300.00
3. SPEEDING or USE CELL PHONE IN SCHOOL ZONE.....	325.00
4. NO LIABILITY INSURANCE..... (1st Time)....366.00 (2nd Time)....766.00	
5. UNSAFE SPEED DISREGARD RED LIGHT, STOP SIGNS .....	200.00
6. SEAT BELT VIOLATION .....	200.00
7. UNRESTRAINED CHILD .....	200.00
8. DRIVING WHILE LICENSE INVALID .....	366.00
9. FAIL TO ID .....	366.00
10. NO DRIVERS LICENSE or DRIVING Without DRIVERS LICENSE.....	266.00
11. PERMIT UNLICENSE DRIVER TO DRIVE .....	170.00
12. EXPIRED DRIVERS LICENSE .....	170.00
13. EXPIRED REGISTRATION .....	170.00
14. EQUIPMENT VIOLATIONS .....	170.00
15. DROVE ON WRONG SIDE OF ROAD .....	170.00
16. BACKED WHEN UNSAFE .....	170.00
17. FAIL TO YIELD R O W* .....	170.00
18. FAIL TO CONTROL SPEED* .....	170.00
19. FAIL TO DRIVE IN SINGLE LANE* .....	170.00
20. PASSING STATIONARY EMERGENCY VEHICLE.....	300.00
21. OPEN CONTAINER .....	APPEAR IN COURT
22. PUBLIC INTOXICATION .....	APPEAR IN COURT

FOR CHARGES NOT LISTED PLEASE CONTACT THE COURT.

\*There Will Be An Added Fee Of \$40.00 Per Offense To Each Citation Issue Involving An Accident.

**DRIVING SAFETY COURSE OR DEFERRED DISPOSITION: CDL Holders, SCHOOL ZONE OFFENSES, WORK ZONE-WORKERS PRESENT, ACCIDENTS or SPEEDING 25 MILES OR MORE OVER THE LIMIT NOT ELIGIBLE**

**Payment Agreements Are Available. Down Payment Must Be Cash Or Money Order. Minimum Down Payment Required Is \$50.00. Please Call The Court For Information.**

**YOU MUST APPEAR IN PERSON OR IN WRITING.**  
**A TELEPHONE CALL DOES NOT CONSTITUTE AN APPEARANCE.**

12/12/18

**ALL PLEAS MUST BE NOTARIZED AND MUST INCLUDE COPY OF DRIVERS LICENSE.**

1. IF YOU WISH TO ENTER A PLEA OF **GUILTY OR NOLO CONTENDRE** (NO CONTEST) please so indicate below in the proper space provided. A plea of Nolo Contendre means that you do not contest the Charge(s) against you. The fine for the Nolo Contendre plea is the same as that for a plea of Guilty. Either plea indicates that you agree to voluntarily waive appearance before the Court for trial.

2. You must refer to the schedule shown on the reverse side of this letter to determine to total amount of your fine(s) and court costs against you. Return A Copy Of The Citation And This Letter, With The Necessary Blanks Filled In Along With Your Payment To Assure Proper Credit. If your violation amount is not listed on the reverse side, contact the court. Make your remittance by **Money Order** to the Court address printed on the reverse side. Credit/Debit payments can be made at **1-888-507-3442** or **www.frankstontexas.com**. (Bi-Lingual operators are available.) **NO PERSONAL CHECKS. If you need to make arrangements for a payment plan, contact the court for Information.**

3. If You Wish To Enter A Plea Of **NOT GUILTY** and desire a trial, you must contact the Court for information by the appearance date on citation to avoid **Violate Promise To Appear** charges.

4. If you Fail to Respond to this charge by the appearance date shown on the citation, an additional charge could be assessed against you for Violation of Promise to Appear, and Warrants will be issued for your arrest on each charge.

5. Persons under the age of 17 MUST appear in person with a parent/guardian.

**ALL PLEAS MUST BE NOTARIZED AND MUST INCLUDE COPY OF DRIVERS LICENSE.** Cash, Money Order, Credit/Debit in person or Money Order by mail.

1. \_\_\_\_\_ I hereby enter a plea of Guilty and waive appearance for Trial. Full amount of Fine and Court Cost(s) is/are enclosed. **NO PERSONAL CHECKS**

2. \_\_\_\_\_ I hereby enter a plea of Nolo Contendre (No Contest) and waive appearance for trial. Full amount of Fine and Court Cost(s) is/are enclosed.

3. I hereby enter a plea of Not Guilty.

\_\_\_\_\_ I waive my right to a Jury Trial and request a trial by the court.

\_\_\_\_\_ I request a Jury Trial.

**4. FOR DRIVING SAFETY COURSE OR DEFERRED DISPOSITION: SCHOOL ZONE OFFENSES or SPEEDING 25 MILES OR MORE OVER THE LIMIT NOT ELIGIBLE. This Document Must Be Notarized.** I understand that payment MUST accompany request. **NO PERSONAL CHECKS. Must be Cash or Money Order in person or Money Order by mail. I cannot pay for this with Credit/Debit Card.**

I understand that I MUST appear by mail or in person by the Appearance Date on the lower right corner of the Citation.

I hereby enter a plea of Nolo Contendre (No Contest) and elect to take

\_\_\_\_\_ Driving Safety Course - **I must include:** \$110.00(Court Cost and Admin Fee)

\_\_\_\_\_ **Self Addressed Stamped Envelope, Copy of TX Drivers License and Insurance**

\_\_\_\_\_ Deferred Disposition - **I must include** total amt of Fine plus \$50 Deferral Fee.

\_\_\_\_\_ **Self Addressed Stamped Envelope, Copy of TX Drivers License and Insurance**

Date \_\_\_\_\_ Signature \_\_\_\_\_

Address \_\_\_\_\_

City State Zip \_\_\_\_\_

Phone #: \_\_\_\_\_

Sworn to and Subscribed to before me, a Notary Public on \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_ (seal) \_\_\_\_\_

Commission expires \_\_\_\_\_

Notary Public in and for the State of Texas